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第一部分：选择题（75 分）

I. 词汇（共 30 小题；每小题 1 分，满分 30 分）

() 1. ---Who do you consider will be invited to host the meeting?

---Jack Lee, who is humorous and good at speaking.

A. wish B. suppose C. trust

() 2. ---The high speed railway in China is fast and safe.

---Exactly! It has been spoken highly of by people from all over the world.

A. mentioned B. reported C. praised

() 3. ---Will you continue seeing the film after dinner?

---Yes, I will.

A. go on B. begin C. put off

() 4. --- I'm afraid my handwriting is not good enough.

---You should practise more. Then you can improve it.

A. make ... worse B. make ... better C. make ... cleaner

() 5. --- Have you ever visited the Palace Museum?

---Yes. It is one of the most celebrated museums in the world. Millions of people come to visit it every year.

A. ordinary B. famous C. awful

() 6. ---Do you like music?

---Yes, and I am fond of pop music.

A. famous for B. ready for C. keen on

() 7. ---Sorry, we weren't able to come up with any useful suggestions.

--- Never mind, you've done you best.

A. think of B. make up C. put up

() 8. ---Jane, you look pale. What's the matter with you?

---This morning I saw a car accident on my way to school. I jumped out of skin.

A. was surprised B. was sorry C. was shocked

() 9.--- I will miss you when I move to Beijing this autumn.

--- Don't worry. You can _____ me by email.

- A. get along well with B. make friends with C. keep in touch with
- () 10. ---Children should _____ swimming in the river alone.
---Yes. That's too dangerous.
- A. avoid B. keep C. practise
- () 11. ---Look at the baby in Kate's arm. It's so cute.
---Yes, it is. It often smiles at people _____, too.
- A. lovely B. friendly C. cheerfully
- () 12. ---I'll have a hamburger and a large cola. How does that sound to you?
---That's _____! I've decided to stay away from fried food and soft drinks.
- A. great B. delicious C. terrible
- () 13. ---2018 was the 40th anniversary of reform and opening up in Shenzhen.
---I am proud of it. Shenzhen has made great _____ in various aspects.
- A. movements B. achievements C. agreements
- () 14. ---_____ Mary _____ Jack watched Prince Harry's wedding on TV yesterday.
---What a pity! They missed the exciting moment.
- A. both ... and B. either ... or C. neither ... nor
- () 15. ---I think the film *The Wandering Earth* has become China's biggest sci-fi hit this year.
---_____. It's based on the works of Chinese author Liu Cixin.
- A. I can't agree more B. That's all right C. I don't think so.
- () 16. ---Learning a foreign language is not a simple task.
---I agree. We must study much harder from now on.
- A. job B. cause C. decision
- () 17. ---United Nations flags flew at half-mast on March 11 to honor the people killed in Ethiopian Airlines crash.
---What sad news! There were 157 people aboard and no one remained alive.
- A. lifeless B. lively C. living
- () 18. ---After a few years, he regretted sending his daughter to America.
---Indeed. Living and working in Shenzhen is more pleasant now.
- A. was happy with B. felt sorry for C. was certain about
- () 19. ---How is your vacation at the Royal Hotel?
---We're happy to be here, but to tell the truth, we're having a few problems.

A. personally B. honestly C. generally

() 20. ---Mr Li, I feel a little nervous before the coming exam.

---You'd better take a break from studies and relax yourself.

A. rest B. breath C. walk

() 21.--- Why didn't the boy run away from the fierce dog when he saw it?

---He was unaware of the danger at all.

A. didn't stop B. didn't realize C. didn't say

() 22. ---What is the purpose of the evening party?

--- To raise money for the poor students in Guizhou.

A. topic B. title C. aim

() 23. ---Are you OK, Lucy?

---Not really. I am a little bit under the weather. I think I should go home and take some rest.

A. sick B. embarrassed C. annoyed

() 24. He gave me a few books and some money _____.

A. either B. also C. as well

() 25.---Have you noticed that Anna's spoken English is greatly improved?

---Yes, she sets us a good example. Hard work always _____.

A. makes a deal B. makes a difference C. makes a problem

() 26. ---Did you find the way to the new library?

--- Sure. The policeman gave me very clear _____.

A. situations B. directions C. invitations

() 27. ---Whatever our dreams are, fight for them _____.

---Thank you. I'll keep your advice in mind.

A. politely B. carelessly C. seriously

() 28.--- The Mangrove Park is really beautiful. Are there any birds in it?

--- Yes, there are many different kinds of birds there and _____ them is growing larger and larger.

A. mountains of B. a number of C. the number of

() 29. To _____ means to gradually grow or become bigger and stronger.

A. develop B. trade C. discuss

() 30. ---I felt _____ when I fell over a stone in front of my classmates.

---Watch your step next time!

A. embarrassed

B. impolite

C. humorous

II. 完形填空 (15 分)

阅读下面短文，从短文后所给的 A、B、C 三个选项中选出能填入相应空白处的最佳选项，并在答题卡上将相应的字母编号涂黑。（共 10 小题，每小题 1.5 分）

John has been a heavy smoker for over 20 years. However, he finally decided to 31._____. So he paid a 32._____ to a doctor to get some advice.

The doctor told John he 33._____ to smoke too. “When I first tried quitting,” he said, “I told myself that cigarettes are harmful to my health, dangerous to my 34._____ and damaging to my job.”

“After this fight in my mind, I quit for a while. But several days later I would wake up again and 35._____ about my decision completely. ‘Maybe smoking is not so terrible 36._____ I don’t smoke around my family.’ I would rationalize (辩解).” He kept quitting but his excuse made him 37._____ cigarettes again and again. Finally, he decided to try a different strategy. “I took a cigarette in my hand, looked at it and told myself, ‘Yes, this cigarette will make me 38._____. I want to smoke it. But I will quit!’” the doctor said excitedly.

“It worked, and I have not smoked a cigarette since. The reason I succeeded is that I didn’t 39._____ myself into trying to make a bad image of cigarettes. I chose to control my desires.

“So be 40._____ with yourself,” the doctor said. “Don’t pretend you dislike playing computer games or eating fast food. Instead tell yourself that these things are all fine only if you can control your desire for them.”

() 31. A. give it up B. set it off C. take it away

() 32. A. price B. fine C. visit

() 33. A. decided B. used C. tried

() 34. A. family B. patients C. pets

() 35. A. think B. forget C. talk

() 36. A. but B. though C. if

() 37. A. put up B. give up C. pick up

() 38. A. happy B. painful C. healthy

- () 39. A. change B. bring C. fool
() 40. A. gentle B. honest C. strict

III. 阅读理解 (30 分)

阅读下列短文，从下面每小题的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出最佳选项，并在答题卡上将相应的字母编号涂黑。（共 20 小题，每小题 1.5 分）

A

Students learn how to do CPR

On Nov 27, some sad news shocked many people in China. Godfrey Gao (高以翔), a Chinese-Canadian actor, died from cardiac arrest (心脏骤停) while shooting a sports reality show at 1:30 am in Ningbo. He was only 35.

The show's producer, Zhejiang Satellite TV, said medical staff began performing first aid right away before he was taken to the hospital. But netizens doubt whether first aid could've helped to save Gao's life.

In fact, 550,000 people in China suffer from sudden cardiac arrest every year, according to the National Center for Cardiovascular Diseases. Only about 1 percent are saved.

If people nearby can perform CPR (心肺复苏) and use AEDs (自动体外除颤器) within four minutes of a heart attack, the patient's chances of surviving sudden cardiac arrest can be greatly improved, Chen Zhi, director of the Beijing Emergency Medical Center's training center, said to China Daily.

However, many people in China do not know how to perform CPR and there are not enough AEDs in public places, he said.

According to the National Health Commission, less than 1 percent of Chinese adults know how to perform CPR. And the country only had about 15,000 AEDs installed in medical institutions and public places such as airports and subways as of last year. For every 100,000 people, Japan has 394 AEDs and the United States has 317. In China, the figure is only 0.2, according to a report from CCTV.

Apart from installing more AEDs, there is still more that can be done to improve people's first aid awareness, according to Lin Jian from Peking University People's Hospital. Schools should give students first aid classes. Companies should also offer regular training. People should avoid working for long time and make sure to warm up before doing intense exercise.

- () 41. This story was written to _____.
A. show how hard life is for actors B. show the importance of staying healthy
C. describe the risks of shooting reality shows D. draw readers' attention to the dangers of cardiac arrest
- () 42. How many people are saved from sudden cardiac arrest in China every year?
A. 550,000 B. 55,000 C. 5,500 D. 550
- () 43. According to Chen Zhi, what can be done to improve this situation?
a. Provide people with CPR training. b. Encourage people to exercise regularly.
c. Install more AEDs in public places. d. Shorten average working hours.
A. ab B. ac C. bc D. bd
- () 44. What is the focus of the last paragraph?
A. How to raise people's first aid awareness. B. How to provide training in companies.
C. How to offer first aid classes in school. D. How to exercise in a correct way.

B



The P.L.T. burger uses “meat” that is made out of pea, rice and bean proteins.

What comes to mind when you hear the phrase “space meat”? It sounds quite weird. But in fact, it could very well be the future of the human diet.

A Russian astronaut recently “grew” meat aboard the International Space Station. Yes, you read that right – he grew it using cells provided by an Israeli company called Aleph Farms. But in fact, he was not the first person to create lab-grown meat. Dutch scientist Mark Post grew the first lab meat in 2013.

But why bother growing meat in a lab when we can get the real thing from cows? For one thing, lab-grown meat is healthier. “We gain greater control over what the meat consists of for example its fat content,” Post said in an interview with The Atlantic. Lab-grown meat is also free of the chemicals that are used on farms, such as pesticides and growth hormones.

Are there other ways to replace regular meat? McDonalds is trying to do so with the P.L.T., which stands for plant, lettuce and tomato. The first P.L.T. burgers are already being sold in Canada,

according to the fast food company.

The “meat” in the P.L.T. is made out of Beyond Meat, a plant-based meat substitute (替代品) created by a company from Los Angeles, US. The company uses pea, rice and bean proteins to produce patties (肉饼) that look and taste like real meat.

Experts doubt whether these products are healthier than real meat. But they have already proven to be a success, with several fast food companies already offering such products on their menus, according to Fox Business.

() 45. What did the Russian astronaut do recently?

- A. He grew meat on the International Space Station. B. He provided cells for an Israeli company.
C. He built a lab for growing meat in space. D. He created the first lab-grown meat in the world.

() 46. Why is lab-grown meat healthier than real meat?

- A. Because it is made from healthy cells. B. Because it is produced in clean labs.
C. Because lab meat doesn't consist of fat. D. Because producers can control what's in the meat.

() 47. According to the story, P.L.T. burgers _____.

- A. taste better than normal burgers B. are made out of plant protein
C. are already being sold in the US D. are served by many fast food companies

() 48. What do experts think of plant-based meat products?

- A. They will be the future of the human diet. B. They are free from harmful chemicals.
C. They might not be healthier than real meat. D. They have already proven to be a success.

C



Esports become popular worldwide

Many people enjoy playing video games today. Millions of people in the UK play video games for fun. Some of them have become professional gamers, playing games as their full-time job. It's not easy being a professional gamer, though. They practice for 10 or more hours a day, five or six days a week. They do exercises such as typing something and then trying to type it faster and faster. They also study videos of other players and plan ways to beat them.

As well as playing games, many people like watching them too. You can watch games online. In the UK, there's a TV channel that shows esports 24 hours a day. They can be exciting to watch: just like other sports, there are close games, last-minute victories and amazing performances. Sometimes online viewers can interact with the game. For example, some games rename characters in the game with the names of online viewers!

But are esports really sports? Are players athletes? Some say no. Esports players don't need to run, jump, throw or do anything too physical. At the moment, the UK government classifies (界定) esports as gaming, not sports. But other people say yes – esports are sports. Players do need some physical skills, especially hand-eye coordination (配合), quick reflexes (反应), accuracy (精准度) and timing. In fact, the governments of China and South Korea do classify esports as sports, and they will be an official medal sport in the Asian Games starting from 2022.

For many esports fans and players, though, the most important thing is that esports are growing in popularity and importance. If esports are not as important as sports at the moment, they definitely will be in the near future.

() 49. According to the first paragraph, being a professional gamer is _____.

- A. fun B. common C. hard D. strange

() 50. In which country are esports classified as gaming?

- A. The UK. B. China. C. South Korea. D. France.

() 51. Some people think esports are not sports because _____.

- A. esports players don't need special training B. esports players don't do anything too physical
C. they are not as competitive as other sports D. there are no international esports tournaments

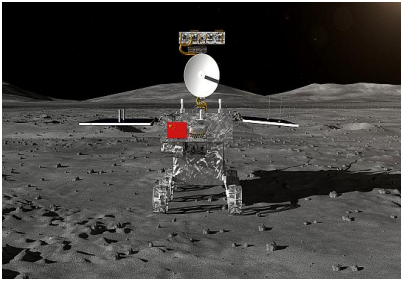
() 52. What do we know from the story?

- A. The number of professional gamers is increasing in the UK.
B. More people prefer watching esports to playing them.
C. In the UK, online viewers can interact with the gamers.
D. Esports are getting more popular and important.

D

Do you know what your IQ (intelligence quotient,) is? You can find out by taking a test. But what about your EQ? Do you know what EQ is?

EQ (emotional quotient) is a measure of your ability to recognize and manage your emotions,



China's moon rover (月球车), Yutu-2, left "footprint" on the moon on January 3, 2019. This is the first time that a human spacecraft moved on the far side of the moon.

According to the Control Center, Yutu-2 was taken to the moon in Chang'e-4 probe (探测器). The 135-kilogram, six-wheeled rover got out of Chang'e-4 12 hours after it landed. Yutu-2 touched the moon surface at 22:22, leaving deep lines on the moon land. And this was recorded by the camera on Chang'e-4 and the photos were sent to the earth. The next morning, engineers made final checks of the environment of the landing area and the situation of the Chang'e-4. Yutu-2 started to move slowly around on the moon at 3:10 a.m. It took Yutu-2 nearly a whole hour to complete the simple task. Later, Yutu-2 and Chang'e-4 will take photos of each other and start their own science research.

Yutu-2 is the first rover on the far side of the moon. On the near side, there are 7 other rovers from different countries, including Yutu-1. In the Chinese tale, Yutu was the white pet rabbit of Chang'e's. The name for the rover was chosen following an online survey that collected millions of votes from people around the world.

Yutu-2 is a perfect robot controlled by the command(指挥) center on the earth. Yutu-2 will be awake and work there for about 3 months while Chang'e-4 will do some research at the landing place for one year. Then they will fall asleep on the moon forever.

() 57. Which is the correct order of the following events?

- ①The 135-kilogram, six-wheeled rover touched the moon surface.
- ②Yutu-2 started to move around on the moon.
- ③Chang'e-4 landed on the far side on the moon.

A. ①-②-③ B. ②-①-③ C. ③-②-① D. ③-①-②

() 58. Which of the following is true according to the passage?

- A. The moon had been visited by 7 countries before Yutu-2.
- B. Yutu-2 is a perfect robot under the control of its own computer.
- C. Yutu-2 works with Chang'e-4 on some research for one year.
- D. Yutu-2 and Chang'e-4 will never return to the earth again.

() 59. Which is the best title for the passage above?

- A. The first rover on the far side on the moon B. The old Chinese tale of Chang'e

C. A journey to the moon on Yutu-1

D. The footprint of Yutu-2 on the near side

() 60. There will be another moon rover exploring the moon soon. Which is its proper name?

A. Chang'e-5

B. given by the command

C. Yutu-3

D. voted by the people on line

第二部分 非选择题 (25 分)

IV. 语法填空 (10 分)

阅读下面短文，在空格处填入一个适当的词或使用括号中词语的正确形式填空，并将答案填写在答题卡规定的位置上。(共 10 小题，每小题 1 分)

I had spent an hour in the bank with my dad to transfer some money. I asked him, “Dad, why not use online banking?” “Why would I do that?” He replied. “Well, then you won’t have to spend ____ 61 ____ hour here to transfer your money. You can do your shopping online. Everything will be ____ 62 ____ (easy)!” I was excited to try to persuade my father.

He asked, “If I do that, I won’t have to step out of the house?”

“Yes!” I said. I told him how even groceries(食品杂货) can ____ 63 ____ (deliver) to our doors now and how Amazon delivers everything.

____ 64 ____, his answer left me tongue-tied. He said, “Since I walked into this bank today, I ____ 65 ____ (meet) four of my friends and I have chatted a while with the staff. I have plenty of spare time, so I like to come to the bank. Two years ago, when I was ____ 66 ____ (terrible) injured, the store owner from whom I buy fruit came to see me and prayed by my bed. Furthermore, when your mom fell down a few ____ 67 ____ (day) ago while on her morning walk, the bank manager saw her and helped her get to the hospital.”

He continued, “Why would I want to stare ____ 68 ____ my computer all the time? I like to know the person that I’m dealing with and not just the ‘seller’. Does Amazon deliver bonds (情感纽带) and relationships as well?”

I was silent after ____ 69 ____ (hear) his words. My dad was right, of course. We shouldn’t rely so much on technology. It’s better ____ 70 ____ (spend) time with real people.

V. 书面表达 (15 分)

假定你是李华, 你的美国朋友 Amy 来信询问有关武汉新型冠状病毒(novel coronavirus)的情况。请你给 Amy 回信, 内容包括:

1. 新型冠状病毒简况；（2020 年 1 月在武汉爆发， 政府随即封城防止进一步传播）
2. 应对措施；（宅家抗疫尽量少外出， 外出要戴口罩防止感染， 自行补充一点）
3. 是否有信心战胜病毒。

参考词汇：爆发 outbreak； 封城 close down the city； 传播 spread； 口罩 masks；
感染 infected； 抗疫 fight against the epidemic 战胜 overcome

Dear Amy,

It is so considerate of you to receive your letter inquiring about novel coronavirus in Wuhan. I am writing to tell you more about it.

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Yours, Li Hua